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FOREIGN AND INSULAR.

MEASURES AGAINST CHOLERA.

On September 6 the following telegram was sent to the quarantine officers and health officers of the North Atlantic, South Atlantic, and Gulf ports:

Suspicion cholera present in Naples.

On September 26 the presence of cholera in Naples having been confirmed by bacteriological examination, the following telegram was sent to the quarantine and health officers above mentioned:

Referring my telegram September sixth, Geddings reports cholera officially declared at Naples on twenty-sixth. Confirmed by bacteriological examination.

ECUADOR.

GUAYAQUIL—Plague and yellow fever.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Parker reports, August 20:

During the two weeks ended August 15 there were reported in Guayaquil 10 cases of plague with 3 deaths, and 9 cases of yellow fever with 1 death. Plague is beginning to appear in a number of places in the city.

INDIA.

CALCUTTA—Cholera and plague.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Allan reports, August 25:

During the week ended August 6 there were reported at Calcutta 6 deaths from cholera and 7 from plague; in all Bengal, 57 cases of plague with 41 deaths; in all India, 1,082 cases of plague with 710 deaths.

KARACHI—Anthrax in interior.

Consul Lupton reports, August 5:

At Kotri, about 110 miles from Karachi, 120 fatal cases of anthrax among goats were reported August 5.

ITALY.

Status of cholera.

Surgeon Geddings reports, September 9:

During the week ended September 4 cholera was reported in Italy as follows:

	Cases.	Deaths.
<i>Province of Bari.</i>		
Andria.....	5	4
Canosa.....	1	0
Barletta.....	30	21
Bitonto.....	1	0
Molfetta.....	19	13
Trani.....	8	5
Spinazzola.....	8	5
<i>Province of Foggia.</i>		
Cerignola.....	3	3
Margherita di Savola.....	7	8
Trinitapoli.....	25	17
San Ferdinando.....	8	8